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### AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

Applicant provides the present Amendment to address the issue raised in the Office Action mailed October 26, 2005.

It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s), including fees for additional claims, are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 14 of this paper.

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## Amendments to the Title:

Please replace the title with the following amended title:

METHODS OF FABRICATING NITRIDE-BASED TRANSISTORS HAVING REGROWN OHMIC CONTACT REGIONS AND NITRIDE-BASED TRANSISTORS HAVING REGROWN OHMIC CONTACT REGIONS